

owners manual

armageddon



ARMAGEDDON FITTING INSTRUCTIONS

Place the turntable in a set-up jig and remove the tonearm, or secure it well, so that the turntable can be turned upside down.

Remove the platter, belt and subplatter and fit a cap on the bearing to prevent oil spillage.

Turn the turntable over in the jig to make it easier to work on.

Remove the feet and baseboard.

Disconnect the switch and secure the flexible connector so that it does not interfere with the suspension. The switch stays in place.

Disconnect the motor wires and remove the existing circuit board from the wiring strap, leaving the nylon mounts in place. Remove the existing power lead completely.

The PCB provided with the ARMAGEDDON clips straight on to the nylon mounts on the wiring strap. (See diagram)

The power lead from the ARMAGEDDON supply should then be secured by using the plinth clamp. The clamp on the wiring strap should be removed altogether. To avoid fouling the baseboard with the screw heads, the bottom half of the plinth clamp will need to be removed. Secure using the top half only. Form the wire so that it does not touch the baseboard. (See diagram).

Following the colour code on the diagram, fit the motor wires to the connector block.

Solder the earth wire to the chassis earth tag. (See diagram) Take care to form the wire so that it does not foul the bearing or the baseboard. We suggest that you remove the two remaining nylon mounts to make this easier.

If the motor has a plastic bearing cap, such as the type with a spring and thrust pad or ball bearing, remove it and discard. Remember that it will take some time for the motor spindle to run-in in the new position. Newer, disc type bearing caps should be left in place.

Turn the turntable back upright - careful with the arm!

Replace subplatter, belt and platter.

Follow normal set-up procedure, checking suspension, securing P-clip, etc.

Connect the ARMAGEDDON to the turntable, plug into the mains, switch on. For convenience, leave the turntable switched on whilst changing records.

Refit the baseboard and feet.



